

**Families First in Numbers**  
**Updated Information from January 2008**

Current number of Assistance Units: 53,087

Current number of individuals: 135,642

Current number of adults: 36,562

Current number of children: 99,080

Assistance Groups prior to Families First (August 1996): 91,499

Current number of child only cases: 17,364

Current number of 1 parent cases: 34,886

Current number of 2 parent cases: 837

Change in cases since last month: -3.7%

Closures in January

Total closures: 6,166

Closures for sanctions: 2,043

Work-related sanctions: 1,911

Other sanctions: 132

Closures for employment: 588

Current number of Assistance Units with a working adult: 11,205

Average monthly wage of employed participants: \$ 838.02

Average monthly cash benefit for participating families: \$ 167.01

Re-entry rate of Families First participants: 22.1% of cases that close re-enter the program within a year.